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SUBJECT: FY 1975 INTERVISITOR OFORI-ATTA

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1. BROOKINGS UNWILLING ACCEPT OFORI-ATTA FOR CONFERENCE ON BUSINESS AND CONTEMPORARY SOCIETY SINCE PROGRAM TOTALLY GEARED TO THE AMERICAN SCENE AND IN PARTICULAR TO SPECIAL RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN SENIOR FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND EXECUTIVES IN THE PRIVATE SECTOR. ACCORDING TO DIRECTOR OF THE ADVANCED STUDY PROGRAM, WALTER HELD, THIS PARTICULAR PROGRAM HAS LITTLE OR NO REAL APPLICABILITY TO MOST COUNTRIES OF THE WORLD AND WOULD NOT BE RELEVANT AT ALL FOR GHANA.

2. BROOKINGS HAPPY TO CONSIDER OFORI-ATTA FOR EITHER OF THE OTHER TWO CONFERENCES. MANY FOREIGN VISITORS HAVE PROFITED BY THE CONFERENCE FOR SENIOR EXECUTIVES ON PUBLIC POLICY ISSUES. HELD FEELS DR. OFORI-ATTA MIGHT WELL PREFER THE CONFERENCE FOR SCIENCE EXECUTIVES ON ISSUES IN SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY. ALTHOUGH MANY ARE FROM THE PURE SCIENCES THERE ARE ALSO A GOOD NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS FROM THE SOCIAL SCIENCES.

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3. CAN OF COURSE ARRANGE REGULAR IV PROGRAM. PLEASE

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